

Amendment No. 2 to HB1266

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 820*

House Bill No. 1266

by deleting all the language of the bill after the enacting clause, as amended by House Health and Human Resources Committee Amendment No. 1 (HA1102), and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. The fiscal review committee is directed to study the need for placement of additional beds at private community-based, not-for-profit ICF/MR facilities and to make appropriate legislative proposals to implement any recommendations the committee determines to be beneficial to the State of Tennessee and its citizens. The committee shall specifically consider the necessity of adding beds to certain facilities in light of the costs of such additions. The committee shall also study whether additional capacity should be added to other forms of housing such as supported living and the effects of changes on developmental disability centers.

SECTION 2. The departments of health and mental health and developmental disabilities and the division of mental retardation services shall provide assistance to the fiscal review committee upon request of the chair.

SECTION 3. The fiscal review committee shall timely report its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation or interim reports, to the One Hundred Third General Assembly no later than February 15, 2003.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.